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MARINET ET AL

Serial No.:

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For:

METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PROTECTING INTEGRATED CIRCUITS AGAINST PIRACY

Sir.

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Applicant qualifies as a small entity under 37 CFR § 1.27.

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Responsive to the Office Action of September 1, 2005, please enter the amendments and consider the remarks set out below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this filing.

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